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HIGH WIND CAUSES POSTPONEMENT OF TRIP BY AVIATORS

WILL START FROM FORT SILL TOMORROW MORNING IF CONDITIONS ARE FAVORABLE FOR MAKING FLIGHT THEN

FIRE WHISTLE TO BE SIGNAL

Will Blow When Squadron Starts from Post Tomorrow—Wichitans Warned not to go on Field Where Machines Will Alight

A blustery norther that swept down through Western Oklahoma into North Texas prevented the start of the flight of the First Aero Squadron of the United States Army from Fort Sill, Oklahoma this morning as had been scheduled. Captain Foulois, commanding the squadron, said over the telephone this morning that the wind was too high to risk tthe flight and that it would not be attempted today. If the wind subsided he said the squadron would leave Fort Sill tomorrow. If conditions are not too unfavorable the squadron is expected to leave Fort Sill at about 8 o'clock or soon thereafter in the morning and should reach here about 9 o'clock.

Master Electrician Izorek did not receive the telegram from Captain Foulois announcing the postponement of the flight until after he had waited at the landing field for the arrival of the squadron for more than an hour. Hundreds of citizens and school children were gathered at the field this morning awaiting the coming of the aviators, and were greatly disappointed when the news was brought that they would not come today. Mr. Izorek had signals in the form of colored banners set on the landing field, pointing out the dangerous places and defining the landing area. As a change in the wind would make a different arrangement necessary, these signals were taken away when it was found that the flight would not be attempted today.

Must Keep Off Field.

Many of those who went out to the field this morning crowded onto the field. Mr. Izorek requested The Times today to warn the people not to do this as it not only endangers their lives but the lives of the aviators as well. The aviators, he says, are likely to become confused if the spectators crowd upon the field. If the same field is used tomorrow he asks that the spectators keep out of the field.

The banquet that was being arranged for the officers and men of the squadron by the Chamber of Commerce was of necessity postponed and will be given tomorrow night or whenever the squadron arrives.

Captain Foulois telegraphed Master Electrician Izorek this morning saying that he hoped to start the flight tomorrow if the wind died down. He asked Mr. Izorek to telephone him the weather forecast for tomorrow. This is for clear weather and colder temperature, which will be more favorable for the flight provided the wind dies down.

Arrangements have been made to blow the fire whistle after the army aviators leave Fort Sill so that those who are busy need not lose too much time in waiting for them to come.

Master Electrician Izorek of the First Aero Squadron after an inspection of other possible landing sites late this afternoon announced no change in the landing site would be made, and that the aeroplanes would alight in the Huff pasture south of the Wichita Valley tracks, as originally planned.

The aeroplanes are expected to leave Fort Sill in pairs and several minutes will elapse between the time of landing. Mr. Izorek warns the spectators against going into the field unti lafter all the machines are landed.

BRITISH AT DARDANELLES CAPTURE TURKS TRENCHES

Resume Offensive at Tip of Peninsula and Make Successful Attack on Positions

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 18.—The British army at the Dardanelles has resumed the offensive and captured 280 yards of Turkish trenches. Official announcement was made that the 52nd division had successfully attacked the Turks in the Krithi Nullah near the tip of the peninsula. They captured 160 yards of trenches to the east of the defile and 120 yards to the west.

ANOTHER DEATH FROM ANTHRAX IN NEW YORK

By Associated Press.

New York, Nov. 18.—Sophia Rosen, seventeen years old, the third anthrax victim in this city within the last few months died here today. The girl is believed to have contracted the disease by wearing a fur neckpiece which had not been cured properly.

SWEARS SUBMARINE SHELLED ANCONA AFTER BOAT STOPPED

American Woman on Italian Liner Contradicts Statement of Vienna Government

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 18.—An affidavit by Dr. Cecile L. Greil, the only native American survivor of the Italian liner Ancona directly contradicts the Austro-Hungarian government's official statement that the ship was not shelled by the attacking submarine after she stopped. The state department today was notified of the existence of the affidavit by consular dispatches. The text of the message which was sent by American Consul Mason of Algiers, follows:

"Dr. Cecile L. Greil, an intelligent and impartial witness enters a deposition; is not conclusive as to whether any effort was made to escape by the Ancona. The first intimation of danger came when she was dining. A disturbance on the deck, the stoppage of the vessel and blowing of a whistle were followed shortly by shots which struck the vessel. The testimony proves that the bombardment lasted 45 minutes and was continued after the ship had stopped, killing and wounding many persons. She saw the destruction of the vessel by a torepdo. Also saw a red and white flag and six cannon on the submarine. She knows nothing as to other American passengers. Information at Algiers and Bizerta is considered conclusive that thirteen vessels were sunk from November 3 to November 7 by submarines going from Gibraltar toward the Ancona."

Secretary Lansing will take no action, it was announced today, until more definite information is received. The state department holds that Mrs. Greil's charge that the submarine fired on the Ancona after the ship stopped may be taken as conclusive evidence. It was pointed out today that because she was the only American survivor much weight would attach to her statement.

Mrs. Greil's statement of the color of the flag flown by the submarine also is taken as conclusive evidence that the submarine was flying the naval flag of Austria-Hungary.

CASE OF ERNEST BASSETT AFFIRMED BY HIGHER COURT

The case of Ernest Bessett, charged with theft from person, was affirmed Wednesday in the court of criminal appeals at Austin. This case was one of unusual interest by reason of the manner in which the verdict, affixing a two year sentence, was returned. Bessett was barred from asking for a suspended sentence, but the jurors, feeling that some of the circumstances in the case were in his favor, recommended that the sentence be suspended. This recommendation was not followed by Judge Nicholson and a motion for a new trial was at once filed. Some of the jurors testified that they would not have voted for a verdict of guilty had they not thought the sentence could be suspended.

Bessett was charged with taking a sum of money from a young farmer named Wheeler, at a local resort. He was represented by Bernard Martin.

The case of W. D. Lewis and Joe Devers, two young negroes charged with burglary in connection with a visit to the hen roost of C. B. Montgomery, were reversed and remanded by the high court. They were represented by Wayne Somerville.

SUBJECTS OF ALLIES IN FRANCE ARE IN DISFAVOR

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 18.—The Paris city council lha sadopted a resolution that all subjects of allied nations of military age residing in Farnce be required to leave the country or enlist in the French army. Those who refuse will be confined in concentration camps. The resolution also sets forth that subjects or citizens of neutral countries should not receive residential permits except upon recommendation of their governments and after a rigid investigation of their credentials.

VIOLENT CANNONADING IN FOREST OF GIVENCHY.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 18.—There has been violent cannonading in the forest of Givenchy in the Artois district, according to an announcement given out by the French war office this afternoon.

AUSTRIAN AEROPLANE BOMBARDS ITALIAN CITY.

By Associated Press.

Belluno, Italy, Nov. 18.—An Austrian aeroplane threw five bombs on this city at eight o'clock this morning, but only one of them exploded. Three persons were slightly injured but no material damage was done.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER STRIKES MINE AND SINKS.

By Associated Press.

Amsterdam, Nov. 18.—According to a newspaper report the Norwegian steamer Ulriken from New York for Rotterdam, has been sunk by a mine. Five members of the crew were lost.

VICTORIES WON BY ALLIES IN SERBIA

FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS SCORE SUCCESSES, SAYS ATHENS DISPATCH

BATTLE WAGED FOR TWO DAYS

Bulgarians Lose to Inferior French Forces and Lose Town of Kasturina

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 18.—Important successes both for the French and British forces in Serbia are reported by the Athens correspondent of the Havas agency.

According to this information the Bulgarians have lost the town of Kasturino to the French and have been defeated by the British on the Valondovo front.

The correspondent whose dispatch was filed yesterday, adds that the French have won a striking victory over the Bulgarians on the Tithirowo Krussevitza front. The battle was waged for two days.

The French were greatly outnumbered but used their three inch guns with great effect. The Bulgarians are said to have sustained such heavy losses that they retired to the right bank of the Vardar river.

PENNSYLVANIA CRUDE OIL REACHES TWO DOLLAR MARK

Second Advance of Week is Recorded in the East—Demand is Exceeding Supply.

By Associated Press.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 18.—Two-dollar oil the goal of hundreds of producers throughout the country was reached this morning when the South Penn Oil company announced the second advance in crude oil for the week, as follows: Pennsylvania crude, $2; Mercer Black, Newcastle and Corning, $1.50; Cabell $1.55; Somerset, $1.42; Ragland 70 cents.

This is an advance of ten cents a barrel on each grade except Ragland which was unchanged. Oil started to advance last August and impelled by curtailment of production abroad and increased consumption in this country has been going up ever since. Five cents a barrel was added from time to time by the purchasing agencies but not enough ail came out to satisfy the demand, and this week, fifteen cents more was offered.

This new price is expected to bring out the greater part of the several million barrels of crude oil known to be above ground and to stimulate drilling in the hope of increasing production. Of the amount known to be above ground, a competent authority said today a million or more barrels were in the West Virginia field alone.

22 BODIES STILL IN RUINS OF WRECKED MINE.

By Associated Press.

Seattle, Wash, Nov. 18.—More than 36 hours after the explosion which wrecked a coal mine at Ravendale with the loss of 31 lives, squads of rescuers today were digging through the debris 1500 feet underground in search of 22 bodies still in the mine. After the recovery of three bodies late yesterday, bringing the total number of identified dead to nine, the workers found their way blocked by a heavy fall of rock and coal and progress is being made slowly.

CANCELS CONCESSIONS OF TWO MEXICAN BANKS.

By Associated Press.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 18.—The concessions of the Bank of Hidalgo and the Bank of Guerrero have been cancelled by the banking commission of the Mexican government, according to information reaching the Mexican consulate here today. This action was taken on the ground that the two banks have issued paper currency in excess of the amount permitted by their specie reserves.

PLANS OF SALVATION ARMY BUILDING BEING PREPARED

Work Expected to Start on Structure Within 30 Days—To Complete Fund Needed.

Plans for the Salvation Army's building on Seventh street are now being prepared by Architect Evan Jones and as soon as they are completed Captain Robb will take them to Chicago for approval and for securing the loan necessary to pay for the building. The $6,000 necessary for starting work on the building has already been paid in and Captain Robb has already secured a deed for the site. Work is expected to start within the next thirty days.

About $2,000 remains to be raised to dedicate the building free from debt. An effort will be made to raise this money after work on the building has started.

TOMORROW'S GAME IS CLASSIC EVENT

STATE UNIVERSITY AND A. AND M. FOOTBALL TEAMS ARE TO MEET.

IS FIRST CONTEST SINCE 1911

A. and M. Team Expected to Make a Hard Fight—Is 21st Game Between Two Schools.

Special to The Times.

College Station, Texas, Nov. 18.—For the 21st time, the football teams of the State University and A. & M. College will meet tomorrow afternoon in what is generally considered the football classic of the Southwest. Although these two teams have not met since 1911, interest in their comparative strength has been rife among Texas football fans every year and few contests of recent years will be watched more closely than that scheduled for tomorrow afternoon.

Diplomatic relations between the athletic associations of the two institutions were severed in 1911 after several years of unpleasantness. The rupture came just after the annual game at the Houston carnival in which the Longhorns were victorious. In 1909 and 1910 A. & M. had defeated Texas three times and it is generally believed that the break would have come sooner had these games resulted differently. While no satisfactory reason for the breaking off of relations was ever set forth, there is little doubt that it was the methods of Charles Moran, the A. & M. coach, to which Texas objected. It was the understanding at that time that as long as Moran continued to coach A. & M. there would be no games with Texas, and whether there was such a decision or not, that is exactly what happened. Moran coached his last A. & M. team last year and soon after his resignation it was whispered that the schools would get together again.

There is no official foundation for these statements, but they have been generally accepted by those in touch with the situation.

Moran's one idea was to defeat Texas. That is the one idea of Eddie Harlan, the former Princeton star who is coaching the team this year. Other teams might batter the Farmers and roll up scores against them, but when they faced the Longhorns at Houston during the carnival or at Austin on Thanksgiving day, they fought with all the skill and strength that training and coaching could give them. That is the situation this year. It is Harlan's purpose to defeat Texas. In the season's earlier games, the Farmers have stuck to straight football and none of their trick plays or special formations have been uncorked; just what surprises they will spring upon the Texas eleven tomorrow remains to be seen.

The game may be compared to the eastern classic, Yale vs. Harvard. The Blue may suffer defeats at the hands of various and sundry schools in the early part of the season, but when it faces the Crimson on the Saturday before Thanksgiving, it never fails to give a good account of itself.

Of the 20 games in which Texas and A. & M. have clashed in the past 21 years, Texas has won fourteen, three have been tied and A. & M. has won four. The record since 1894, when the teams met for the first time follows:

1894—Texas 38, A. & M. 0.
1898—Texas 48, A. & M. 04
1899—Texas 6, A. & M. 0.
1900—Texas 5, A. & M. 0.
1900—Texas 11, A. & M. 0.
1901—Texas 17, A. & M. 0.
1902—A. & M. 0, Texas 0.
1902—A. & M. 12, Texas 0.
1903—Texas 29, A. & M. 6.
1904—Texas 34, A. & M. 6.
1905—Texas 17, A. & M. 0.
1906—Texas 24, A. & M. 0.
1907—Texas 10, A. & M. 0.
1907—Texas 11, A. & M. 6.
1908—Texas 24, A. & M. 8.
1908—Texas 28, A. & M. 12.
1909—A. & M. 23, Texas 0.
1909—A. & M. 5, Texas 0.
1910—A. & M. 14, Texas 8.
1911—Texas 6, A. & M. 0.
Total—Texas 307, A. & M. 92.

SAYS SURPRISE ATTACK OF BRITISH WAS REPULSED

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—British forces attempted a surprise attack yesterday on German positions between Messines in Belgium, six miles south of Ypres. This attack, the war office announced today, failed. In the Argonne region the French made preparations to explode a mine but this action was anticipated by the Germans who evacuated the trench menaced by the mine.

SAYS ITALIAN SOCIALISTS WHO RENEGED, EXECUTED

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—The famous Socialist, Dr. Lovegren, a member of the Swedish parliament describes the removal from Florence, which he witnessed of 200 Italian Socialists, says the Overseas News Agency. These Socialists who wore uniforms of the army or navy, had refused to join the army and were transported to Arezzo to be shot.

INVESTIGATE DEATH OF DEFORMED INFANT

CORONER'S JURY WILL PASS ON PHYSICIAN'S FAILURE TO OPERATE

IS BOTH PRAISED AND ABUSED

Mother Considers Course Best For All Concerned—Doctor is Not Likely to Be Prosecuted

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Anna Bollinger, mother of the defective infant which was permitted to die yesterday, was told today of the death. She made no comment except to repeat that denial of the simple operation which would have saved the baby's life was best for all concerned. Dr. H. J. Haiselden the surgeon who advised Mrs. Bollinger, in all probability will not be prosecuted.

Coroner Hoffman said that if the coroner's physician reported that Dr. Haiselden acted according to the most enlightened dictates of conscience and sidence a burial permit would be issued after the inquest and the incident closed. Dr. Reinhardt, the coroner's physician, said he would so report to the coroner. Dr. Haiselden, who had been almost without sleep during the 48 hours preceding the infant's death, was busy in the operating room of the German-American hospital today. A jury of six of the best known physicians and surgeons of Chicago will be chosen to hear testimony at the inquest. The coroner expected to empanel the jury at once.

Preceding the death of the infant, the propriety of sacrificing the unpromising spark of life in the infant that it might not grow up to be a burden to itself and to society, was the subject of widespread discussion. Dr. H. J. Haiselden on whose advice the mother acted, was visited by many medical men, and telephone calls alternately accused and praised him. He remained unaltered in his conviction that death was the greatest blessing which could be hoped for the infant.

The principal physical deformities of the baby are the closure of the intestinal tract, paralysis of the nerves of the right side of the face, the absence of the right ear, blindness of one eye and malformation of its shoulders. Dr. Haiselden, who officiated at the birth, noted the absence of a neck. The brain he found to be only slightly subnormal, but the cranial nerves were absent or undeveloped.

"If he grew up he would be a hopeless cripple and would suffer from fits," said the doctor.

"Would his mind be clear? Would his soul be normally alive?" asked one of the visitors.

"That I do not know, but the chances are against it."

The questioner cited the case of Roswell Smith, a supposedly harmless defective, who, after reaching the adult stage killed little Hazel Weinstock, for which he was hanged.

Another visitor remarked that Fyodor Dostoevsky, born a defective, who gambled and had epileptic fits, developed into a great novelist and one of the greatest psychologists in Europe.

Most of the visitors treated the baby, which lay in a little bundle in a private room, as if it were uncanny. Dr. Haiselden, who condemned it to death, alone treated it like a human being. He looked into the little twisted face and patted its cheeks.

"He will be dead before the night is over," he said. "It would be a moral wrong," he continued, "to allow it to live. It seems to me that a city which allows a blackhand outrage a week, a thousand abortions a day and an automobile accident every round of the clock is hardly in position to criticise a man who holds that to a defective death is preferable to life."

The telephone rang. Dr. Haiselden answered and for five minutes talked with a woman. She pleaded with him to save the baby's life. When he returned from the telephone he smiled grimly.

"She called me names," he said. "It's strange what a fuss people are making over this case when all these abortions go unnoticed. I would not do that."

The little bundle which was the center of all eyes stirred and a faint cry was heard.

"Not much longer to wait, little one" said the doctor, gently. Then he added to those near him:

"He's dying."

Dr. John B. Murphy, former president of the American Medical association, and physicians and professional men and women, including a number of clergymen generally, took sides with Dr. Haiselden. But his critics were just as numerous.

Dr. Murphy said:

"The baby's life is in the hands of a higher power. Nature will provide the best remedy."

Dr. Rosalie M. Ladova commented:

"A life is a life and I wish Dr. Haiselden would step out and let someone else operate."

Clarence Darrow, the lawyer, known also as a humanitarian, remarked:

"Chloroform unfit children. Show them the same mercy that is shown beasts that are no longer fit to live."

Mrs. Anna Bollinger, the mother, remained in a room nearby. Many times she asked: "Is it dead?"

The authorities took no action further than to determine no death certificate should be issued until after an investigation by the coroner.

F. W. TIBBETTS VICTIM OF HEART FAILURE THIS MORNING

Well Known Citizen Succumbs Suddenly at His Home Lived Here Six Years

F. W. Tibbetts, aged 58 years, a respected citizen of Wichita Falls for the past six years, fell dead at his home at 1625 Tenth street this morning at about 8 o'clock. Death is believed to have resulted from heart failure following overexertion yesterday. He had not slept well last night but got up this morning and dressed as usual. He fell while walking through the dining room and was dead when neighbors rushed in in response to an alarm by Mrs. Tibbetts. One of the neighbors summoned a physician but life was extinct when he arrived.

Mr. Tibbetts was born in New Hampshire, May 17, 1853. When a child his parents moved to Wisconsin. When about twelve years old he went from Wisconsin to Northwestern Iowa where he grew up and lived until 1890 when he came to Fort Worth, Texas. He lived in Fort Worth until 1909 when he came to Wichita Falls where he has since resided. Mr. Tibbetts was engaged in the loan business representing a Detroit trust company and several individuals loaning many thousands of dollars in this section. Mr. Tibbetts was a man of high principles and was held in the highest esteem by those with whom he had business dealings. Through his efforts many thousands of dollars were brought into this section of the Southwest for investment. Mr. Tibbetts was a very quiet and unassuming man and the general public had little idea of the extent of his work.

He leaves a widow and one sister, Mrs. C. J. Raven whose home is in Virginia. The time of the funeral will not be degtermined until it is known whether a sister of Mrs. Tibbett's who lives in California will come here. Mr. Tibbetts was a member of the Masonic fraternity and of the congregation of the Christian Science church here.

USE OF GAS BY FRENCH TROOPS NOW URGED.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 18.—The Senate army committee has passed a resolution urging the unrestricted use of asphyxiating gas by the French troops.

ITALIAN LINER SAVED BY GERMANS ON BOARD.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 18.—The Rome correspondent of the Journal corroborates the report that the Italian steamship Milano was stopped on the high seas a few days ago by a submarine. On ascertaining that there were on board 70 Germans who had been expelled from Egypt, the correspondent says, the submarine permitted the steamship to proceed.

ABANDONMENT OF CAMPAIGN IN DARDANELLES DISCUSSED

One of Purposes of Earl Kitchener's Visit is to Look Into Situation There

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 18.—Baron Hibbledsdale said in the House of Lords in addressing a question to the Marquis of Landsdowne that he understood Lieut.-Gen. Charles E. Monro, commander of the British expedition at the Dardanelles had reported in favor of the withdrawal of the British army from the Dardanelles. The Marquis of Landsdowne announced the government asked Earl Kitchener to visit the eastern Mediterranean because in its opinion the report of Sir Charles Monro and the evidence accompanying it did not seem sufficient to enable the government to come to a conclusion upon the great question of policy involved.

RAILROAD BROTHERHOODS MAY DEMAND EIGHT HOUR DAY

Plan Under Way to Take Action to This End Next March—Meeting Held.

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, Nov. 18.—The four railroad brotherhoods, including more than 450,000 engineers, firemen, conductors and brakemen on all the railroads in the United States, are preparing to make a formal demand about March 1st that the railroads grant them an eight hour day fo rthe same pay they now get for ten hours. Action will be taken at a meeting of the executive committee of the brotherhood in Chicago, December 15th, when ballots for a referendum will be prepared. The eastern associations of the general association of engineers and firemen brotherhood in joint session here last night decided to join the conductors and trainmen's brotherhood in the demand for an eight hour day and time and a half for over time.

SERBIANS IN SOUTH FORCED TO RETIRE, QUIT BABUNA PASS

CITIES PERLIPE AND MONASTIR ALMOST CERTAIN TO FALL AS RESULT OF BULGARIANS ENVELOPING MANEUVER.

FRENCH AND BRITISH GAINS

Victories Over Bulgarians Reported—Determined Resistance to Teutons in North Is Still Being Made by Defenders in that Section.

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 18.—News from the Balkans continues to be a patchwork of unconfirmed rumors and contradictory assertions without official statements to establish clearly the present state of affairs. The Serbian armies, with insufficient ammunition, and inferior numbers, have been attempting vainly to meet the wide turning movement of the Bulgarians threatening Perlipe and Monastir. Some dispatches from Athens report Perlipe already is in Bulgarian hands.

All admit the Serbian position there is untenable and that evacuation of the city is inevitable. News of the Bulgarian advance southward is that it is proceeding rapidly and has reached a point within a few hours of Monastir. This is said to have caused consternation in that city whose population is fleeing to Greek territory. Judging from the size of the Bulgarian forces rushing from Tetovo southward and from the initial success of their new turning movement which has changed entirely the military situation in southern Serbia, Monastir is in distinct danger.

Not only has the Bulgarians' maneuver necessitated abandonment by the Serbians of their position at Babuna Pass but the Serbian forces which have been holding this entire region are now in peril of being surrounded or cut off by the Bulgarians advancing southward from Krushevo.

Little is known of the Serbian situation in the north, except that determined resistance is still being offered by the Serbians against both the Germans and Bulgarians, who have made no fresh gains of consequence.

In Southwestern Serbia, successes for the British and French are reported. The Bulgarians are said to have been compelled to retreat on the Vardar front and to have sustained a check at the hands of the British in the Rabrovo region.

Both England and France have greeted with enthusiasm the joint war conference held in Paris. It is regarded as marking more concerted action among the allied armies. Although no official information has been received concerning the subjects discussed at the conference, it is assumed the principal matter under consideration is the Balkan situation.

JUDGE MAKES PROPOSITION TO WOMEN AT CORPUS CHRISTI

Says They Will Not Be Fined If They Get the District Freed of the Male Parasites.

By Associated Press.

Corpus Christi, Texas, Nov. 18.—When eighteen women of the restricted district were arraigned here yesterday to answer a periodical fine of vagrancy and presumably to pay the usual fine of five dollars and costs, Justice Miles announced they would not be fined o rat any other time in his court, under one condition. He said to the women:

"Young men are frequenting your houses and these so-called men are being supported by you women. They are idlers and spin not, neither do they weave. They are a menace to the community and will not work and are supported by the money you are giving them. I am going to give you ten days to get these men out of this city. You can do it. If you fail, I am going to fine each of you in an amount that you will out soon forget."

BABUNA PASS ABANDONED BY SERBIANS

By Associated Press.

Athens, Nov. 18.—Five thousand Serbians who have been defending Babuna Pass against the attacks of 20,000 Bulgarians, have been forced to abandon their positions and are retreating on Perlipe, according to a Saloniki dispatch. The correspondent confirms the reoccupation of Tetovo by the Bulgarians, a victory regarded as of much importance because it may result in the cutting of communications of the Serbian front.

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In the case of Johnson vs. Millsaps in the 78th district court Judge Nicholson yesterday sustained the defendant's plea of non-joinder of parties defendant and gave the plaintiff leave to amend his petition to correct this defect, and transferred the case to the 30th district court.

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Just received a shipment of Whitman package candy. Cream Bakery and Confectionery. 62 3tc

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F. M. Irby was acquitted by a jury in the district court this morning on a charge of burglary. Irby was charged with entering a house near Iowa Park with burglarious intent. He told the jury that he was coming from Electra and was hungry, and that he went into the house and got something to eat but did not molest anything.

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The Wichita Hardware has purchased the Willie & Pannell tin shop on 6th street and have removed same to their store at 804-806 Ohio avenue. Mr. Pannell will be in the employ of the Wichita Hardware Co., where he will be pleased to meet his old friends and customers. 61-3tc

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Stated Meeting of Wichita Falls Lodge Friday November 19th. All Master Masons are requested to be present as important matters are to come before the lodge, relative to the new building. P. B. COX, W. M.
J. W. WALKUP, Secretary. 61-3tc

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A card just received from Rev. F. F. Walters states that the state lecturership of the Christian church is well attended that all lecturers are of a high character. Dr. Philpotts, he says represents an exceedingly high scholarship. Next year's session will be held at Fort Worth.

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Charles Templeton, teacher of violin, 1107 Broad—opposite High School. 59-6tp

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kruger are the parents of a baby girl, born at an early hour this morning.

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L. S. Robbins, resident piano tuner, fourth year with Harrison-Everton Music Company. Phone chines. Call phone 958. 58-6tp

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E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 92-tfc

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The Empress theater management is giving a benefit for the high school annual publication, "The Coyote" tomorrow. An Edison special "The Magic Skin" has been secured for this benefit program.

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Services are held in the church edifice cornec 9th and Lamar as follows: Subject "Soul and Body," Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. The reading room at the same address is open daily except Sunday and legal holidays from 2 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

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Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: Clyde Story, of Comanche, Okla. to Laud McGuire, Waurika; G. O. Walton to Clevie Grider.

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The Parent-Teacher's Club of the Sam Houston school will give a Box supper Friday night, Nov. 19, 1915, in the Mac Thomas building, on car line, Factory District. Proceeds to be used for school purposes. 62-1tp

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It is reported at Electra that W. J. Sheldon and associates have brought in a hundred barrel well near San Antonio in wildcat territory. Oil men here say Sheldon is lucky enough to do something of this kind.

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Just received a shipment of Whitman package candy. Cream Bakery and Confectionery. 62 3tc

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The Atlas Supply Company has filed suit in the 30th district court against Reese S. Allen et al for debt.

"CHET" KEYES HELD FOR MANN ACT VIOLATION.

Chester Keyes leading man for a stock company which has played here several times, is under arrest at Dallas on a charge of violation of the Mann act. It is alleged that he transported a woman from one state to another for immoral purposes. Keyes is well known here.

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"DAMAGED GOODS" AT WICHITA THEATRE TONIGHT

The Wichita Theatre tonight offers Richard Bennett's coworkers in Brieux's masterpiece "Damaged Goods."

Walter Pritchard Eaton, one of America's foremost dramatic critics forcefully describes the impression made upon him by "Damaged Goods." "If any human being sitting in the audience, does not leave the theatre with an awakened conscience to these horrors, a determination, if he has a daughter, that no such fate shall overtake her, a solemn impulse to chastity and honor, then he is not fit to be called a man."

The Majestic.

Charlie Chaplin in a two part comedy "A Woman" playing a return date here is today's chief attraction in this comedy Charlie impersonates a girl so successfully that he could rival Julian Eltinge. The comedy on its first showing drew a full house. Also on the program is a three part Essanay "The Scrapegoat."

The Empress.

The subject of circumstantial evidence which has sent many to death that are probably innocent is forcibly treated in a two part Bannor feature "The Dead Man's Keys" which is seen today at the Empress. A youth is on trial for murder and is well nigh convicted by circumstance when an old locksmith comes to his aid frees him, convicts the guilty party. A charming allegorial play is "Everyheart," a Beauty with Neva Gerber and Webster Campbell featured. The picture shows the passage of mankind through the world, his endowment with many priceless gifts of spirit and nature which he barters for the things of the world, money and glory.

The Lydia Margaret.

A vital and stirring tale of the mountains of Kentucky is "A Kentucky Idyl" picturized by the Universal company and showing today at the Lydia Margaret. Warren Kerrigan is featured in this special picture, the lead of today's program. Kerrigan is pictured as the owner and boss of the town of Less Point. Brought up in ignorance and sin he is awakened by his love for Cynthia Plantin, daughter of a minister. There is another girl, one whom Bill had known in former days and she causes a startling change in the course affairs are taking. The close is away from the conventional.

The Gem.

Eleanor Woodruff and Ned Finley are featured in a three part Vitagraph "West Wind" on today's program at the Gem with a one reel comedy. A synopsis of "West Wind" is given.

Amy Benham, known, as "West Wind" daughter of John Benham, a ranch owner, is abducted by Girot, a half breed cowboy, and her father is killed. Kennard in love with Amy, and Sullivan, the ranch foreman, head a searching party but Girot dares the rapids of White River in a canoe and brings the girl to the Sioux encampment. She is aided by Mahwissa, an Indian squaw, to escape and hide in a cave, where Sullivan finds them.

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COTTON STRONGER; WHEAT GOES HIGHER

REACTION IN COTTON MARKET FOLLOWS DECLINE IN EARLY TRADING

GRAIN MARKET SCORES GAINS

Lower Shipping Rates Help Bulls But Liverpool Cables Act as Offset

By Associated Press.

New York, Nov. 18.—The cotton market opened steady today at a decline of two to five points in response to disappointing cables. There was some Liverpool selling here, particularly of July while there was some further Wall street selling but offerings were not heavy and the market soon steadied on scattered covering and trade buying. Talk of small ginning returns and the continued absence of spot pressure probably encouraged reactionary sentiment after the recent sharp decline and after selling at 11.60 on the call, January rallied to 11.70 while March advanced from 11.85 to 11.96 or about five points over last night's closing figures.

New York Cotton.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec	1145	1160	1145	1157—
Jan	1160	1175	1160	1171 72
Mch	1185	1203	1185	1199 00
May	1202	1218	1202	1216 17
July	1209	1225	1209	1223 24

New Orleans Cotton.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec	1132	1146	1132	1142 43
Jan	1150	1165	1150	1161 62
Mch	1177	1192	1177	1187 88
May	1196	1209	1196	1206 07
July	1207	1220	1211	1217 18

Spot Cotton

	Sales.	Middling
Dallas unchg	.....	1095
Houston unchg	200	1150
Galveston unchg	200	1150
New Orleans unchg	546	1138

Liverpool Cotton Close

	Today	Yesterday
Jan Feb	681	678½
Mch Apl	.....679½	677
May June	.....678½	676

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Unsettled weather and the fact that receipts in the northwest were smaller tended today to strengthen the price of wheat. Assertions that steamships to Great Britain had become a little easier helped also to some extent to encourage the bulls. On the other hand lower quotations from Liverpool acted as a check on the buying side here. After opening 1-4 to ⅜ off to 5-8 up with December at 103½ tot 104⅜ and May at 105½ to 105⅞ the market scored moderate gains all around. Corn hardened in value owing to unfavorable conditions for curing and shipping. Prices opened at a range of from 1-8 decline to ⅝ advance and was followed by a slight sag and then a general upturn. Oats seemed to be governed mainly by the action of corn. Advances in the hog market gave firmness to provisions.

Chicago Provisions.

Wheat	Open,	High	Low	Close
Dec.	104⅜	105½	103½	105¼
May	105⅞	107¼	105½	107⅛
Corn	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	60⅝	61¼	60	61¼
May	64⅛	65	63¾	65
Oats	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	38¼	38⅞	38¼	38⅞
May	39⅞	40½	39¾	40½
Pork	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	1667	1680	1662	1672
Ribs	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	915	917	907	915
Lard	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	910	920	910	917

New York Cottonseed Oil.

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Nov.	765-805	810	765	780-800
Dec.	772-780	790	772	776-779
Jan.	777-781	787	777	780-782
Feb.	780-792	796	780	785-790
Mch.	794-795	798	792	792-794

Prime crude oil 50.
Total sales 17,800.

Fort Worth Livestock.

Fort Worth, Nov. 18.—Cattle receipts 4000, 25 cents to 30 cents lower. Beeves $5.50 to $6.75. Hog receipts 1700, ten cents higher. Bulk of sales $6.20 to $6.25. Sheep receipts 1200, lower. ambs $7 to $7.75.

ALLEGED TO HAVE HIT HIS WIFE WITH PIPE

Jesse Williams was arrested yesterday on a charge of aggravated assault. He gave bond for his appearance in the county court. It is alleged that Williams struck his wife with a piece of pipe. The assault is reported to have taken place at their rooms in the boarding house conducted by Mrs. Lejois on Barwise street.

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Wichita Falls, Tex., Nov. 18, 1915.

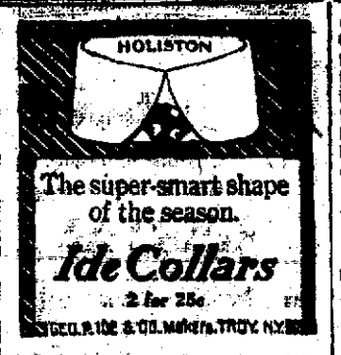
A Washington girl has married a man named Jonkheer Aldus Warmoldus Lambertus Tjarda Van Starkenborgh-Stachouwer. But she will probably call him Jonk for short.

D. C. Colp, president of the Texas division of the Meridian Road Association, has called for a meeting of that organization at Temple on November 23rd. Wichita Falls should send a strong delegation with instructions to bring the meeting to Wichita Falls next year. This is a matter that our Chamber of Commerce might do well to take up and act on at once.

The persistent rumors that Roumania was about to enter the war on the side of the Germans continue to come to us, and now the date when this is to actually take place is set for December first. If that rumor should prove to be correct it means much for the German cause. Roumania has an army of 800,000 well equipped fighting men, and in the event she links her fortunes with Germany, Austria and Turkey, it is more than likely Greece will do likewise. In such an event, it does not look now as if the European war was going to come to an end very soon.

A great crowd of people, including the school children, gathered on the commons in the southern suburbs of this city this morning to witness the landing of the army aviators, when a phone message was received from Fort Sill by the Times, saying that owing to weather conditions the flight would not be made today. The disappointment was great, but the crowd took it good naturedly, particularly the school children, who said it meant for them another half holiday on tomorrow, when it is expected the aviators will make the trip from Fort Sill to this city. The Times is informed, however, that the city officials will announce the coming of the aviators by having the fire alarm sounded in ample time for those who wish to be at the landing place to reach there. A lookout with a strong field glass will be placed on top of one of the tall buildings of the city to watch for the aviators and give the signal for the sounding of the fire alarm.

One year ago today the Wichita Valley Oil Refinery Company was organized and a plant with capacity of refining 450 barrels of crude oil per day was constructed at Iowa Park. After a few months it was discovered that the capacity would have to be doubled to meet the demand for its products, and today the plant is making its first run as a 1,000-barrel per day capacity. Those who invested their money in this enterprise are well pleased, and they have every reason to feel that way about it. There should be more oil refineries in this immediate section. One with a daily capacity of 2,000 barrels is now under construction in this city but there is ample room here for two or three more of the same size.



JUNIOR AND SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAMS TIE

The basket ball teams of the junior and senior classes met in a match game Wednesday afternoon on the high school grounds. The game resulted in a tie 10 to 10, both sides playing splendid ball and showing up better than at any other time this year. Marian Dobson and Mary Leith Tevis are captains of the junior and sophomore teams respectively.

This afternoon one of the freshmen teams is playing the Alamo team on the high school grounds.

NEXT WEEK'S JURY LIST IN 78TH DISTRICT COURT

The jury list for next week in the 78th district court follows: J. S. Beard, R. B. Magee, L. L. Hood, W. L. Lawler, J. D. Horton, W. H. Holly, W. P. Parker, S. C. Magee, I. A. Albritton, Robert Hendricks, C. W. Rountree, J. E. Duncan, S. Hartmansgruber, B. B. Mask, R. P. Cato, W. H. Johnson, T. A. Brannon, J. W. McGrath, M. H. Koeizer, J. L. Moore, W. F. Hamilton, Lester Jones, J. M. Childers, M. Fowler, J. L. Maxwell, J. C. Burks, C. J. Barnard, D. J. Carithers, J. M. Bland, D. B. King, C. E. Menzie, M. O. Proctor, C. A. Martin, W. H. J. Grisham, I. A. Roberts, H. G. Karrenbrock.

ORDERS FOR HAND GRENADES GO BEGGING IN PITTSBURG

By Associated Press.

Pittsburg, Nov. 18.—French government agents have been trying for several weeks to place an order for 2,000,000 hand grenades, but it was said by steel men today that they had met with little success. Only the shells were wanted, as they were to be loaded in France, but manufacturers who have never made that sort of thing did not care to experiment. More foreign agents are now in the Pittsburg district trying to buy steel products than at any previous time. Shipments to China have been unusually large in the last few weeks. Export business is by no means confined to war materials.

ATTITUDE OF GREECE IS LESS UNCOMPROMISING

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 18.—The Greek government appears to be adopting a less uncompromising attitude says an Athens dispatch. It is believed to be taking satisfactory solution of the question as to its attitude toward allied troops which might take refuge in Greek territory although it hesitates to make a declaration in the form demanded by the entente powers. The correspondent says King Constantine has expressed a desire to see Earl Kitchener, who is now in the near east, and discuss the situation with him from a military standpoint. The diplomats accredited to Serbia have gone from Monastir to Florina, just across the Greek border.

TURKISH EX-OFFICIAL IS COOPERATING WITH ALLIES

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 18.—The Athens newspaper Messager is quoted in a dispatch as saying there is plausibility that Ejenal Pasha, former Turkish minister of marine, will cooperate with entente allies in the rebellion which, according to Constantinople advices, he has organized against the Turkish government in Syria and Palestine.

TEMPERATURE 34 HERE; SNOW IN PANHANDLE

While a cold wind blew in fitful gusts here this morning and clouds scurried across the sky from the north, clear skies and breezes that were veering to the south and becoming less severe as they changed direction were reported from Childress and Quanah and points north along the Denver. The temperature was higher at Childress and Vernon this morning than here.

Yesterday afternoon a fifty mile gale carried snow flurries over the Panhandle as far south as Lelia Lake and rain fell as far south as Quanah.

The temperature fell to 34 here this morning but rose rapidly as the day advanced.

ITALIAN CRUISER FIRES SHELLS AT SUBMARINE

By Associated Press.

Rome, Nov. 18.—The Italian cruiser Diamonte fired several shells at a submarine which came out to attack her while she was bombarding Dedeaghatch last Friday, says a Salonikl dispatch. It is believed the submarine was hit. A Swiss passenger who was aboard the steamer Firenze, struck by a submarine, declares the life boat in which he was making for shore, sighted a submarine heading for a Greek steamer which was awaiting it well out at sea.

10,000 PERSONS SEE LIBERTY BELL AT DENISON.

By Associated Press.

Denison, Tex., Nov. 18.—About 10,000 persons from this section of Texas and southern Oklahoma saw Liberty bell here today. The bell was more than two hours late here today. It will reach Fort Worth about noon after which it will start southward to Houston and Beaumont.

NEWSPAPER VETERANS OF TEXAS IN SESSION

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Nov. 18.—Veterans of newspaper work in Texas who compose the membership of the Texas Editorial Association are here today for the meeting of that picturesque body. Meetings will be held for three days beginning today. Preparations have been made to accommodate an unusual number of members by the officers of the association of which John R. Lansford, of Fort Worth is president, and Col. Hamp Cook of Houston is secretary.

LONDON IS DISCOURAGED BY NEWS FROM SERBIA

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 18.—Serbia's position is growing steadily worse according to information received by a Reuter correspondent at Athens. The population of Monastir is fleeing to Florino sixteen miles across the Greek border. Perpile is expected to fall soon as the Bulgarian forces are arriving there from Tetovo. The danger is in being surrounded by the Bulgarians coming from the west. Desperate fighting continues around Perlipe and south of that point.

BRITISH CAPTURE GERMAN WHO VIOLATED PAROLE

London, Nov. 18.—A German naval lieutenant from the German converted cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, who broke his parole at Newport News, is now in the hands of the British naval authorities, according to information received here today.

CHURCHILL LEAVES TODAY TO JOIN HIS REGIMENT

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 18.—Winston Spencer Churchill, former first lord of the admiralty, in the uniform of his regiment, left for the front this morning. His wife bade him farewell at the railroad station, where he was unrecognized as he waited to enter a special car. Mr. Churchill became widely known as a soldier before he began his political career. He entered the army in 8195, served with the Malakan field forces in 1897, was present at the operations at Barjaur, served with the Nile expeditionary forces and was present at the battle of Khartum.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral		$208,016.86
Loans, real estate		8,881.90
Overdrafts		183.18
Furniture and Fixtures		7,464.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	$29,927.19	
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	2,115.70	32,042.89
Cash Items	2,080.25	
Currency	10,463.00	
Specie	4,650.69	17,194.04
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund		2,458.36
Other Resources as follows:		
Bills of Exchange cotton		10,728.01
Assessment for Guaranty Fund		153.25
Miscellaneous Items for Collection		140.54
TOTAL		$288,164.93

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,500.00
Undivided profits, net	14,991.57
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	21,892.03
Individual Deposits, subject to check	168,893.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	6,523.37
Demand Certificates of Deposit	1,972.55
Cashier's Checks	1,682.15
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	20,000.00
TOTAL	$288,164.93

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wichita.

We, W. R. Ferguson, as president, and W. W. Gardner as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. R. FERGUSON, President.
W. W. GARDNER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of November, A. D. 1915.

LESTER JONES,
Notary Public Wichita County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
F. B. COX,
H. C. LUECKE,
M. J. GARDNER,
Directors.

(SEAL)

RECAPITULATION.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$228,740.55
Furniture and Fixtures	7,464.00
Guaranty Fund	2,611.65
Cash and Exchange	49,348.67
	$288,164.93

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	17,491.57
Bills Payable	20,000.00
Deposits	200,673.36
	$288,164.93

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Personals

L. H. Tandy has returned to his home in Fort Worth after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Pryor at 1406 Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and son of Dubuque, Iowa, have arrived to spend the winter with J. W. Mode and family.

Warren Wagner is here from Strawn where he is operating in the oil field.

Mrs. Maggie Deatherage returned today after a two months' visit at Rochelle, Texas.

Mrs. J. B. Stephenson and two children arrived today for a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Knight, 2607 Ninth street.

Miss Mary Gordon left this afternoon for Fort Worth, where she expects to meet her mother who will return here with her.

Mrs. J. H. Kelly of Cleburne, arrived this afternoon for a visit with her brothers, L. M. and N. O. Monroe.

J. R. Alexander returned to Bridgeport this afternoon after a short visit here.

F. P. Avis made a trip to Byers this afternoon.

D. G. Donnovan of Burkburnett, was a visitor here today.

Joe Mayfield of Electra, was here today.

H. B. Ebrader of Hutchison, Kansas, arrived today.

J. J. Larkin of Bartlesville, who has been in Wichita Falls for several days, left this afternoon for Oklahoma points.

P. Y. Krohn is here from Electra.

County Commissioner McCleskey of Iowa Park came down this morning expecting to see the army aviators.

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The baptizing will take place at 3 p. m. Sunday. Rev. T. E. Cannedy, pastor of the Fourth Street Baptist church will preach at that hour and Rev. Arthur has extended an invitation to all the white pastors and the members of their congregations to attend. There will be special seats reserved for the white folks.

The church is located at the corner of Park and Sullivan streets and it can be found by following the crowds along about noon Saturday.

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By Associated Press.

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To the Voters of Wichita County!

On next Saturday, November 20th, you will have an opportunity to vote upon a proposed bond issue for a new court house, and we trust to see every loyal property owning citizen come forward with that same degree of loyalty to our county that has characterized their action in the past in dealing with the question of public improvements.

It is useless to argue the demand for such an improvement, the need for a new building being at once apparent to every citizen who has had occasion to visit or view the present inadequate structure. Not only is this fact impressed upon our own citizens, but our deficiency in this respect is so glaring that it attracts the attention of strangers, very much to our discredit. The present building, as is generally known, was constructed about thirty years ago, and does not begin to meet the requirements of the county, either in preserving the records, or in providing a suitable place for sessions of the respective courts. This being the case it is clearly the duty of the citizenship of the county to provide a relief, and no better opportunity will ever be provided than that contained in the forthcoming election. There is no hope of securing such an improvement other than through the issuance and sale of bonds, and in fact this is the only logical manner in which to provide the required funds.

A bond issue, such as is proposed, will provide a building that will meet the requirements of the county for many years to come, and that, too, at the very nominal cost of less than nine cents on the hundred dollar valuation each year. It would be false economy to attempt to improve or add to the present structure, which has served its usefulness, and as the matter thus presents itself it devolves upon the property tax paying voters of the county to again demonstrate their loyalty on next Saturday. We believe you will do it. We know you will do it! The citizenship of this county has never failed in such an emergency. This matter has been neglected from time to time, in the press of other matters, and now, with an additional district court, rendering the necessity the more urgent, we do not believe that this people will discredit their county, their courts and themselves, by a failure to endorse the measure.

In this connection we want to urge every friend of the movement, who is a qualified voter, to go to the polls on Saturday and register your ballot in favor of this much needed improvement, a building for which there is a greater demand than for any other that could be named. Do not content yourself with the thought that others will take care of the proposition, but assume that responsibility that rests upon you, as a progressive citizen, to encourage every enterprise that is of a commendable nature. Let us make the vote as near unanimous as possible, thus again exemplifying that spirit of "pull together" for which our people are noted. While the friends of the movement are very much gratified to know that but little opposition has developed, still we should be active, even until the polls close on Saturday.

Some objection, or rumor of an objection, has been advanced, having for its foundation the theory that some change might be made in the location of the court house. Such a rumor, however, is entirely without foundation and the writer has the assurance of the commissioners court that no change in location will be considered, and that the building, if constructed during the term of office of the present court, will be placed on the present site. This assurance should be sufficient to satisfy anyone who may have been the least in doubt regarding the matter, and there is no occasion for the injection of such an issue at this time.

The only issue involved in connection with the proposed improvement is that of the need for a new court house. If such a building is needed, and this all admit, the opportunity is provided and it is our duty to take advantage of it, and go to the polls Saturday and vote for the bonds.

Let us urge every citizen to do his full duty and this done we shall soon see a creditable building in the place of the one to which we now refer with apologies when explaining to a stranger within our gates. Let us provide a court house for Wichita County that will be in keeping with other public institutions. We take pride in our magnificent school buildings, but refrain from making reference to our temple of justice. We praise our splendid church edifices, but never once point to the county's own home. In fact, it is here that we illustrate the greatest deficiency in public spiritedness, and about the only instance wherein this people can be charged with extreme neglect. Let us awake to a knowledge of our negligence and redeem ourselves on Saturday by keeping step with the march of progress manifested in dealing with other matters.

Surely the people of Wichita County will not permit the report to go out that they are unmindful of the requirements for the safe-keeping of the county records and for the proper accomodation of the courts of the county. We do not believe that you will, but rather expect a manifestation of that same spirit of progress that has made our county site the most talked of city of the entire state.

EDGAR SCURRY, Chairman.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

Contributions to the society columns are invited, phone 1671 or send to this office. Contributions must be in by 12 o'clock to appear in that day's issue. All contributions for the Sunday society page and the Social Calendar must be in by 12 o'clock Saturday morning.

No Tragedy.

When the rainbow's radiant light
Fades within blue heaven's height

When 'neath morning's rosy bars
With the night withdraw the stars—

When the shadows lengthening
Silence thrushes as they sing—

When the twilight in her gray
Vestment robes the passing day—

When the wind that comes and goes
Of her petals robs the rose—

When the leaf drops from the tree
We discern no tragedy!

And angel eyes, as I surmise
From the parapets of Paradise

Surveying human destiny
With its amazing mystery,

With all its successes,
With all its griefs and guesses,

Ending in sculptured shaft or urn
No tragedy in death discern!

—Arthur Goodenough.

INFORMAL FIVE HUNDRED FOR MRS. GOOCH TUESDAY

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Allen entertained a few friends informally for Mrs. Hoarce Gooch of Amarillo. The Thanksgiving festival gave the motif for the decorations and game accessories. The luncheon course also featured the Thanksgiving idea in the service and menu. Five hundred was the game of the evening, enjoyed by four tables of players, including the honoree, Mrs. Gooch, Messrs. and Mesdames McGregor, Frank Blair, T. W. Roberts, Bentley Bacon, O. T. Bacon, Winfrey and Peyton Gwynn.

MRS. ROBERTSON HOSTESS TO ENTRE NOUS CLUB

The Entre Nous Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. W. W. Robertson. The usual two hours was spent with fancywork and music was enjoyed, the afternoon being concluded by the hostess refreshment service of ice cream and cake. The guests of the afternoon were: Mrs. Cowland of Amarillo and Mrs. E. F. Robertson, member: Mesdames Everton, Brown, Millan, Jones, Traweek, Quinn, arringer, Ed Traweek and Carter.

MID WEEK BRIDGE W MRS. M. R RRISON

Mrs. M. R. Garrison hostess to the members of the 1 Week Bridge Club and a numl f guests Wednesday afternoon. conclusion of the game was r d by the service of a salad plat ompanied by macaroon pudding and whipped cream. The hostess souvenir was cut for, Miss Kahn being fortunate. The guests included: Misses Mary Orth, Florence Sammons, Grace Nolen, Mesdames Bert Brainard, Harry Berry and F. D. Woodruff, members present were: Mesdames Merrill Blair, Alex Britain, Earle Clayton, Burton Stayton, Misses Lillian McGregor, Anne Carrigan, Agnes Reid, Lillian Avis, Oryeta Wyatt, Mabel Simpson, Blanche Kahn, Caro Bell Blair, Bess Kell and Bertha Mae Kemp.

MISS MILLER HOSTESS TO B. O. P. GIRLS.

The B. O. P. Girls spent a pleasant afternoon Wednesday with Miss Cora Belle Miller. In addition to the usual fancywork the girls made plans for the Thanksgiving party, to be given Friday, Nov. 26th at the home of Miss Fannie Minter. The hostess served a tempting refreshment course of hot tea, sandwiches, olives and fruit salad. Mrs. E. M. Harris was a guest, the members present being: Mesdames Glen Berry and M. P. Kelly; Misses Virginia Andrews, Annette Coffield, Rhea Gardner, Minnie Kimberlain, Mary Coffield, Pauline Harris, Fannie Minter, Katherine Johnson, Inez Sandel, Tula Stokes, Marion Crabtree.

NEW IDEA CLUB WITH MRS. J. J. SIMON WEDNESDAY.

A delightful session of the New Idea Club was held Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. J. Simon as hostess. The usual needlework and chat was in order and the hostess served chicken sandwiches, pickles, pineapple salad, coffee, French pastry and after dinner mints. The club baby, Janice Newton, was present for the first time and other guests were Mrs. F. W. Tibbetts and little Miss Mildred Bachman. The members present included Mesdames Newton, Wilson, G. E. Friberg, E. V. Friberg, Harry Thornberry, Carey, H. J. Bachman, Houston Simmons, T. E. Dobson.

MISS FORE HOSTESS TO FIDELIS GIRLS TUESDAY.

The Fidelis Girls were entertained in social session Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Thora Fore. Sewing and conversation were in order and musical numbers by Misses Leah Taylor and Ethel Raney were much enjoyed. Refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to the following: Misses Ethel Raney, Leah Taylor, Mary Hull, Thora Fore, Ethel Daniels and Ruth Bentley.

Mrs. C. F. Wickenhiser of El Paso and Mrs. Mary Snider of Warren, Ind., are the guests of Mrs. J. G. Quinn on Ninth street.

Labor On German Trenches Would Build Great Wall Of China

By Asspeiated Press.

Berlin, Nov. 15.—Some genius for figures, with plenty of time at his disposal, has estimated that the German soldiers who have had to bear the burden of trench digging since the beginning of the war have excavated a quantity of earth which in cubic feet is equivalent to the Great Wall of China. He arrives at his conclusion in the following way:

The Great Wall is 2,450 kilometers long, 16.5 meters high, 8 meters wide at the bottom and 5 meters wide at the top. The German lines in April extended 650 kilometers in the west and about 300 kilometers in the east. Behind these foremost lines, however, extend secondary and in most cases third or fourth lines, all connected up by miles of Laufgraben or communication trenches.

Since April the German positions have repeatedly changed, necessitating the construction of new trenches. Each trench is usually from six to seven to a dozen feet in depth, and little narrower. In connection with each one are countless underground shelters. Taken altogether, the estimator believes, the trench digging record of the German soldiers in fourteen months is quite on a par with the decade long record of the Chinese.

BAPTISTS DECLINE TO PASS ON PREPAREDNESS

Special to The Times.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 18.—A resolution on preparedness, criticising the policy of nations at peace which perpare themselves for war, was offered at the Baptist convention by Rev. J. M. Dawson, of Waco, but before action was taken on its adoption, a motion to postpone it prevailed. It will probably come up later. The resolution was just about to be adopted without discussion when Rev. W. A. Jarrel of Dallas secured recognition; he said the resolution was not only an attack on the president, but that the question of preparedness was a debtable one. Belgium was overrun and destroyed, he said, because she was not prepared, while Switzerland, armed and ready for war, was untouched. He took up the burning of the national capitol in 1812 by the British as an example of the results of unpreparedness, but his remarks were interrupted by the motion to postpone.

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Asparagus Tips With Mayonnaise
Tunny Salad Saratoga Flakes
Plum Pudding, a la Mode
Pineapple Sherbet Maccaroons
DemiTasse Cheese

That menu sounds like a two dollar a plate banquet, doesn't it, and now let's see if it can be achieved at anything like a reasonable sum. We are going to plan our dinner for a family of six, or a family of four with two guests, either way every body is going to eat all he can on Thanksgiving. That's a traditich as old as the Thanksgiving custom itself. Consequently the Thanksgiving menu must be ample. The turkey is the first in point of expenditure and a medium sized turkey can be purchased for $1.75, top market price as quoted by local meat markets. For the dressing stale bread and crumbs can be utilized and a half pint of oysters, ten cents worth, is all that will be needed for the dressing. This makes the turkey come to $1.85.

For the fruit cocktail two medium grape fruit at 10 cents each or possibly a large one at 15 cents, a 35 cent can of pineapple (reserve about half for the ice) 10 cents worth of oranges and grapes and a 20 cent bottle of Marischino cherries will be requir d. Cut up the fruit and part of the cherries, reservinh some for garnish (save some for the top of the ice in the last course). Radishes and onions are 5 cents a bunch, celery 10 cents and 10 cents worth of tomatoes to slice is sufficient. 25 cents worth of almonds is sufficient. Ten cents worth of cranberries will make lots of jelly, set it in pretty moulds and serve with the turkey. Tomato soup, a good quality is ten cents a can and with the addition of a dime's worth of rich milk makes the best soup ever. Croutons are just squares or circles of stale bread brushed with melted butter, sometimes sprinkled with grated cheese and baked a short time. Potatoes are 25 cents a peck but only about eight will be needed for this dinner. Boil them, let get cold, scoop some of the potato out, mix with butter, cheese and seasoning, fill the cavity and bake until brown.

A 25 cent can of peas and a 15 cent can of mushrooms will be required and asparagus tips are 35 cents a can. Dressing, home made doesn't cost much and can be bought for 25 cents a bottle. Lettuce is 10 cents a bunch. Two 10 cent cans of tunny fish, 10 cents worth of pecans, picked out, about half a can of pimentoes, sliced pickles and boiled potatoes will make the salad come to about 40 cents. Saratoga flakes are 10 cents more. A right respectable plum pudding can be made at home for about forty cents, a can of pudding costs more and doesn't serve so many. To serve it a la mode with ice cream and brandy sauce means an additional expenditure of a quarter for ice cream and about fifty cents for brandy.

Make your pineapple sherbet at home, pineapple is already paid for, you have cherries for garnish; of lemon juice ten cents worth will more than do, with sugar, water and the whites of two eggs; say about 25 cents more for the sherbet. Cream cheese is 25 cents per pound and good coffee is 25 cents per pound.

The sum total of the dinner is $6.85, just a little bit over a dollar a plate and there will be enough for hash for several meals. Of course a satisfactory meal can be gotten for much less than this but economy had no place in the makeup of this menu. It's just designed as a representative menu for Thanksgiving, quoting market prices. Only one thing has been omitted. Pills for dyspepsia can be bought at any drug store in varying flavors and colors and prices to suit each and every purse.

Allendale

Last Sunday being the occasion of Raymond Billingsley's birthday, and three other members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Billingsley and their son Floyd's birthday coming during the week a general birthday dinner was held at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Billingsley, and was an occasion long to be remembered by them. Those present were the children of Mr and Mrs. Billingsley and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Billingsley and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Denton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Feague and children and Raymond Billingsley. After a most enjoyable day, late in the afternoon all motored back to their homes at Wichita Falls.

Wheat sowing is now about a thing of the past. The fields are most all green now with the young wheat and oats and are being pastured.

Rev. Kabe, a Christian minister of Vernon will preach at the M. E. church Saturday evening at 7:30 and also Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren of Lake View were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Loudolphus.

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Petty Disputes of Balkan States Become International Issues When Larger Nations Seek Pathway to Turkey

By Associated Press

Paris, Nov. 17.—The Balkan question, formerly internal with Macedonia as the chief stakes and the states ranged against each other or against Turkey over this rich bone of contention, has undergone a complete change within the past few months.

Some of this Macedonian issue still remains, between Bulgaria and Serbia, but it is almost lost in a far greater issue, international instead of internal, as the two great warring elements in Europe have suddenly recognized these little Balkan states controlled the high-road from northern Europe to the Orient—the link between Germany and Austria in the north and that vast vista of sleeping power in the southeast. Turkey and the Dardanelles Egypt and the Suez Canal, Asia Minor and the Persian gulf, and the overland route straight from Berlin to the Far East.

So that the petty Balkan disputes which have been going on for years are now suddenly merged into a greater international drama, in which the Balkans are a mere incident, the supreme issues now being:

For the quadruple allies—to hold the Balkan states intact as far as possible as a solid wall or buffer between the Austro-Germans in the north and the imperial goal in the south Turkey, the Dardanelles, Egypt and the East.

For Austro-Germany—to divide the Balkans as much as possible, state against state, with a predominating state, Bulgaria, favorable to the Austro-Germans aim of a direct route from Germany to Turkey and the Orient.

Quarrels Numerous.

This shift of the Balkan issue, making it part of a great international game instead of a petty struggle of small states, has come about within the last four months. The allied powers were slow in realizing it, and their negotiations with Bulgaria and Serbia up to a recent date treated the question as the old fight over territory in Macedonia. But all the time Germany was setting the scenes in the larger drama—the winning of Bulgaria and the linking of the central powers to Turkey and the near East.

Each of the Balkan states has a number of issues involved in the new struggle. Some explanation of these has been gathered from official and diplomatic sources—Serbian, Bulgarian, Grecian and Roumanian—and from other available quarters, showing the respective viewpoints about as follows:

Bulgaria considers herself the aggrieved party of the Balkans She claims to have done most of the fighting against Turkey over Macedonia, and to have received the least of the reward, the bulk going to Serbia and Greece, which Bulgaria claims, did not do the hard fighting. The Bulgarian Legation furnished The Associated Press with a pamphlet review of its case, showing the following distribution of the territory taken from Turkey.

Bulgaria's Governors.

"Serbia, with the smallest territory before the war, received 39,000 square kilometers, of which 15,000 were fertile, and added 1,200,000 to her population.

"Greece, next smallest in area and population, gained 54,000 square kilometers, of which none were fertile, and added 1,600,000 to her population.

"Bulgaria, the largest in area and population, received 15,000 square kilometers, of which none were fertile, and added only 400,000 to its population." Then follows this explosive official statement

"Is this possible? Yes! And because of it, this is what Bulgaria demands: She is not satisfied with such a division; she demands a new one: she shuts her ears to proposals of a Balkan Union in which she pays all the expense."

Bulgaria has issued another pamphlet, printed at the royal printing establishment at Sofoa, entitled, "How the Serbs Behave in Macedonia," giving detailed accounts of alleged atrocities in Serbia's part of Macedonia against priests of the Bulgarian state church. These accounts are harrowing in the extreme, alleging that in some cases Bulgarians were crucified others buried alive, other tortured until they died, with names and places This pamphlet is given as an evidence of Bulgaria's claim that her people in Macedonia are being crushed.

Bulgarian Aspirations.

Another of Bulgaria's allegations is that Roumania took 8,370 square kilometers of Bulgaria's Black Sea front while her hands were tied during the struggle with Turkey. This Black Sea country added 300,000 people to Roumania's population. The people are Bulgarians, according to Bulgaria, and she wants them back, and the Black sea front too.

Aside from these official claims there are reports of other aspirations of Bulgaria. King Ferdinand is said to foresee another great Byzantian Empire in southeastern Europe, with himself as the first Czar of Byzantium. The realization of this dream would mean the absorption of the Balkan states into Bulgaria, and her evolution into an Empire stretching to the Bosphorus. Cherif Pasha, the Turkish agitator, has even asserted in a recent signed article in Paris newspapers, that the Young Turk element had agreed with Bulgaria to turn over Constantinople to that country, rather than let it pass into the hands of the Allies through their assault on the Dardanelles.

Serbia's Stand.

Serbia's attitude in the Balkans is summed up as the staunch and loyal friend of the quadruple allies, and their chief reliance in blocking the Austro-German advance. Serbia was the first to clash with her giant neighbor to the north, Austria, and thus precipitate the European war Serbia has always stood in the way of Austria, barring her advance southward to the Mediterranean, and westward to the Adriatic. Serbia's first aim, therefore, is to hold what she now has of Macedonia against the encroachments of Bulgaria, and at the same time aid the quadruple alliance by holding back the advance of Austria and Germany southward.

As to Bulgaria's claim of rights in Macedonia, and of alleged attrocities, Serbia simply denies them She was willing to yield Macedonia to Bulgaria while the quadruple allies were hoping thereby to win Bulgaria over to a United Balkans. But that prospect has passed, and Serbia is now holding on to all she possesses in Macedonia, with the Allies supporting her

Greek Interests Involved.

Greece's interest in the Balkan conflict are partly local, partly international Like Serbia she is defending her part of Macedonia, particularly that near Cavalla, the rich seaport on the Aegean nearest Constantinople The Greek legation has furnished The Associated Press with the report of Prof Reiss of the University of Lausanne to the Greek Prime Minister, answering Bulgaria's claims as to Macedonia, and establishing by a mass of data that Cavalla, Saloniki and the great centers of Macedonia as well as the interior, are overwhelmingly Greek in population, language, and customs This has been one of the chief internal points of issue, Bulgaria claiming the country to be essentially Bulgarian.

But besides this local issue, Greece's great coast line on the Mediterranean and Aegean, and her proximity to Egypt, the Suez Canal, Turkey and the East, have inspired hopes of a greater Greece, restoring the prestige of ancient Greece as one of the great powers of the world. France has looked with sympathy on these aspirations, while Bulgaria pins her faith on Germany. At the same time Italy has hopes in the eastern Mediterranean, and one of the reasons Italian troops did not join the Anglo-French landing party at Saloniki was to avoid exciting Greece's susceptibilities that her field of expansion was being encroached upon.

Question of Seaports.

Greece's harbors, notably Saloniki and Cavalla, also supply the Allies with the best strategic landing ports, for the double purpose of aiding Greece's ally, Serbia, and the greater end of throwing a barrier in front of the Austro-German advance toward Turkey. At Cavalla a landing party would be within 100 miles of the route through Bulgaria to Constantinople At Saloniki the railways through Greece and Serbia give quick means of transit for a landing party up to the Serbian frontier. So that Greece is the strategic highway by which the Allies must accomplish their purpose of aiding Serbia and preventing an Austro-German junction with Turkey.

Roumania has thus far held aloof from the gathering conflict. Her premier, Bratiano, is strongly favorable to neutrality. Roumania is at issue with Bulgaria over the Black sea country which Bulgaria claims was unfairly taken from her by Roumania. Roumania's natural interests are with Russia, as Roumanian hope of expansion is northward in Transylvania. But there are powerful elements at work to draw Roumania in, and if she enters the conflict she will add the largest population and the largest army of the Balkan states to the settlement of their internal and their international issues.

TROOPS PREPARE FOR WINTER ON BATTLE LINE IN FRANCE

Comfortable Shelters Being Erected —Plenty of Warm Clothing Provided For Soldiers

By Associated Press

Boulogne, France, Nov. 16.—Signs are plentiful that winter is close upon the troops in the north of France. The nights are already cold, far too cold for comfort, and the characteristic winter night mist from the marshes is in the air The trees are not yet bare, but the leaves that remain have turned to a sere yellow while the roadways are covered with fallen leaves which the soldiers here and there heap into little piles for a fragrant warming fire

It is evident that there is to be another winter campaign, robbed, however, of much of the horror of last year's ordeal in boggy trenches and along impassable roads in northern France. at least, winter will find the rival armies well prepared to receive it The wet mud, the ice cold water knee deep in the communication trenches, the ooze and discomfort of the dugouts, will be the exception rather than the rule this year. The shelters, even in the advance trenches, will generally be fairly livable, thanks to the plentiful use of concrete, and tar, and the skilful employment of drainage

Moreover, the armies will be properly clad and amply fed The British soldiers will again don their sheepskins, supplemented by ample supplies of warm caps, sox and heavy boots of rather better type than last year's.

Many of the trenches now have brick floors and practically all are drained and protected against landslide by timbers.

The great problem of the winter will be the billeting of all the new divisions which have come out since last year. In the villages well behind the firing lines, every out building and old barn has been requisitioned, cleaned, repaired and made into shelter against the wind and cold. But nearer the firing lines most of the buildings have been smashed into ruins, and although they were usable for housing purposes during the summer, they are plainly impossible after mid November. The problem is being dealt with to some extent by the building of portable houses and huts, but the armies grow too fast for the carpenters.

CASH REGISTER GIVES UP HIDDEN CASH AT FREDERICK

(Frederick Leader)

If you have a cash register about your premises, search it It may be holding out on you, in spite of the fact that it looks so innocent and trustworthy. That is the experience of H. G. Begley and Ard & Coats, grocers Saturday Adlai Wilkins, who works at the Begley store, missed a check which he thought had gone back of the drawer in the cash register. He lit a match to investigate and ignited another check which was hanging in above the cash drawer. The fire was extinguished after the check had been about half destroyed. An investigation followed, which disclosed 23 checks, amounting to $133, back of the keys on a platform above the drawer One of the checks had been missed soon after the register had concealed it and a duplicate had been secured Mr Begley's net gain by the investigation however, was over $100. Hearing of their neighbor's strike of pay dirt, Ard & Coats made their register stand up and disgorge, and found four checks in a corresponding position in their register, amounting

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Special to The Times

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CENTURY NEEDED TO SETTLE ANGLO-GERMAN DIFFERENCES

Writer Says War Opens International Struggle That Will Continue After Peace

By Associated Press

Berlin Nov 1—Houston Stewart Chamberlain who although the son of an English admiral, has become a German has contributed to one of the Hamburg newspapers a statement of his views on the present and future relations between England and Germany.

He is convinced that the war between the two countries will last for at least a hundred years

He does not mean he explains that the present fighting will continue for so long a time, but rather that an international struggle has commenced of which the world war is but a phase

The German word krieg," observes Mr Chamberlain 'means much more than the English word war or the French guerre It really signifies an obstinate persistence in the endeavor to accomplish some purpose In this sense, the war between England and Germany was long feared and every effort was made to avert it but in the end it was wantonly brought about Now we must steel ourselves for the contest will be conducted as bitterly after peace has been concluded as it is being conducted now

The Germans eily mend their relations with Italy and Russia declares Chamberlain France is likely to be a disturbing element but he is convinced that force and sagacity will ultimately master that difficulty With England, however the matter is different For the struggle between England and Germany is no mere fight for physical ascendancy Each nation wishes to secure the ascendancy for its world philosophy The essential aim of the English Weltanschauung is the development of the will the German is devoted to artistically directed knowledge and action

The English philosophy produces energetic able but ignorant undisciplined individuals whereas the German method produces great mental power in the individual and the obedient submission of all to one great purpose Thus the average Englishman is not nearly so well educated as the German and is less given to reflection

BOOTLEGGERS REPORTED NUMEROUS AT QUANAH

(Quanah Observer)

It is reported that there is a great deal of bootlegging of whiskey going on in Quanah and a determined effort will be made to gather in some of the gentlemen engaged in that commendable business It is stated that the cases will be taken to the federal court When the men who are convicted will be sent to serve sentences in the penitentiary instead of being fined or put in the county jail for a short term Lots of cheap booze is being peddled around it is stated but it is exceedingly difficult to get such evidence as will convict Certainly the man who buys will not give his bootlegger away

ANOTHER ROBBERY NEAR VERNON IS REPORTED

(Vernon Record)

Last Saturday night between the county bridge across Pease river and the Fort Worth & Denver crossing three holdups were committed supposedly by the same men All three occurred within the space of an hour The net results of the operations were two men wounded Will Beller a young farmer and E A Moore of Wellington who was on his way to Vernon with his family in an automobile to visit relatives and a badly frightened negro cotton picker The robbers secured in loot about $60 in money and a gold watch Of this amount $1 was taken from the negro who was in the wagon with Mr Beller and about $1 was taken from Mr Moore who also contributed the gold watch to the booty Mr Pybus who lives on the Penton farm immediately north of the river was stopped but he had only a few dollars in his pocket and when he saw what was about to take place he dropped the money in the bottom of his buggy and thus avoided any loss Several shots were fired at Mr Pybus as he drove away but none took effect Mr Beller was shot in the abdomen the bullet entering the left side from the back just below the ribs He is resting well at last reports and his wound is not considered serious Mr Moore was shot on the right shoulder blade the bullet ranging toward the middle of the back and was removed from just under the skin between the shoulder blades Mr Moore was coming toward Vernon and when ordered to stop by the robbers he complied with their instructions but was too slow to suit their fancy and the shot was fired After relieving him of his watch and money he was compelled to turn back and was told that he would be killed if he attempted to come to Vernon within forty minutes Mr Moore recrossed the bridge and came to town by way of the ford on the Fargo road some think like a mile below the scene of the holdup

NO PEACE MOVEMENT IS CONTEMPLATED BY HOLLAND

London, Nov 18—That the Dutch government has no present intention of mediating for peace is the announcement contained in an official statement says a Reuter dispatch from the Hague The government says it always is ready to do the utmost in its power as neutral state to hasten the end of the war but realizes no attempt is likely to succeed if proposed unless by one or two of the belligerents And steps for peace the government declares will not be permitted to lead to premature steps which would be prejudice both the countries position and specific aims

APPEAL FOR HELP IN BELGIUM ISSUED

OVER 3,000,000 MUST BE CLOTHED AND SHOD BY CHRISTMAS IN THAT COUNTRY

AMERICAN COMMITTEE BUSY

Appeals to Generosity of People of the United States to Relieve the Conditions There

By Associated Press

New York Nov 17—Over three million persons in Belgium and northern France mostly women and children must be clothed and shod by Christmas If the garments and shoes for these destitute people are not forthcoming at once their sufferings during the winter will become desperate

Such is the note of an urgent appeal issued to the people of the United States by the commission for relief in Belgium The New York committee has received from Mr Herbert Hoover chairman of the commission the following statement

It appears to me that it is necessary for us to go frankly to the American people and ask them to clothe the destitute in the occupied areas of Belgium and northern France during the coming winter

There are nine million people in these areas and of these over one third are now either wholly or partially destitute and are today receiving their food either wholly or partially without payment

As you know we have set up economic measures based on the ability of a portion of the population to pay for its food which with the contributions of other countries enables us for the present to find the bare minimum of food supplies for the whole nine million people but we have no reserves with which to provide clothing for the destitute We now plead for help on their behalf

Can Import Nothing

Even if these nine million people had more they could not import clothes or the raw materials with which to manufacture them through the blockade ... When the better classes ... some clothing with which they can get along the destitute ... working classes ... totally had little reserve ... when the war broke out The only additions they have received since then have been the generous contributions from America Canada and elsewhere By Christmas time all the clothing which we have in our various establishments will be exhausted

It is a certainty that the undue exposure of underclad men women and children to the bitter winter will greatly increase mortality The clothing for these people can be provided only if we receive gift supplies for the purpose We must depend upon the American people

We have arranged that the cost of transportation of clothes from any central point in the United States to Belgium and northern France and of the distribution will be paid for out of funds which have been especially provided so that the whole American contributions will reach the destitute without one cent of deduction

In the matter of the character of clothing for these people we are surrounded with a multitude of difficulties In the first instance the drastic sanitary arrangements made by the governments through whose territory we must pass make the introduction of second hand clothing especially in the areas of the operating armies where the want will be greatest practically impossible

Raw Material Desirable

We therefore must ask frankly for new clothing and more particularly for unmade material Not that the destitute in Belgium and northern France are not intensely grateful for second hand clothing but as a matter of necessity we are forced to ask only for unworn stuffs

"It must be borne in mind that those for whom we appeal are living under almost total industrial paralysis that many millions of them are idle and that the cry we have from them daily is Give us something to do give us something to work on so that we may contribute to our support Therefore if we can provide them with materials they will make up their own clothing Furthermore the poor of Belgium and northern France can devise an extraordinary amount of clothing out of a given piece of cloth and can work in such materials to patch up their own clothing For this reason we are anxious to secure piece goods as far as possible or alternately unworn made up clothing

Want Action By Christmas

It seems to us that there must be on the shelves of the stores and in the houses of the United States a large amount of remnant cloth materials and new ready made clothing which would be contributed or could be purchased by the various committees interested in our work on terms of the great possible economy

It seems to me that with the generosity of the American merchant and manufacturer our local committees from monies that may be subscribed to them for this purpose can purchase such materials at far more advantageous rates than can be obtained in any commercial transaction

It is our hope that we may have large consignments arriving by Christmas and we do not believe that there is any manner in which the American people can better show their inherent instinct of philanthropy and kindliness than by answering this appeal from millions of helpless destitute people

BROOMS SOON TO BE LUXURY; MANY PLANTS SHUT DOWN

Scarcity of Broom Corn and Advance in Price of Other Materials Is Cause

(Kansas City Times)

The broom manufacturing industry in America is facing a complete shutdown in four to six months There isn't any more broom corn The warehouses are empty the manufacturers have only the slender crest of stocks and for the second successive year the crop is a complete failure Everywhere it was cleaned out Corn that sold for $85 a ton last January is quoted at $200

Stocks on hand and what little new crop is available will last the factories not longer than May 1 From then until the 1916 crop is harvested the plants have no alternative but to close their doors

Twenty eight of the largest broom manufacturers in the country met in special session at the Savoy Hotel yesterday to decide what to do They compared notes all day and reached but one decision That is to advance the price of brooms at once The cheap brooms that have sold for 25 cents will be advanced to 40 cents and 60 cents Good brooms will retail for $1 or more

This is the season of the year when the broom manufacturer buys a season's supply and the speculator stocks up the warehouses Last year because of a crop failure the manufacturers bought only from week to week and the speculator found no corn to speculate on The second crop failure this year, came with warehouses empty and no large factory stocks on hand One broom corn warehouse in St Louis with a rent of $500 a month has but one carload of corn in it The United States imports but little corn normally—twenty two tons last year This year the war will prevent any importations

HAS HARD LUCK TRYING TO ROB QUANAH FARMER

(Quanah Observer)

Trade follows the flag and thieves follow the cotton farmer when he has money in his pocket and is on his way home That at least is the way it happens in this section this fall Last Friday Robert Ray living northwest of town brought two loads of seed cotton to town to gin His picker accompanied him Ray ginned the cotton and sold it and the seed He bought what he wanted and put his money in the bank He started for home late in the evening and about dusk when he and the picker had neared the lane beyond the Agatite railroad where there are some mesquite bushes a man came out and grabbed at the horses head The team was frightened and jumped knocked the man down and the wagon passed over him Ray grabbed the board which he had for a tailgate and jumped out As he did so the man crawled out from under the wagon with a pistol in his hand As he raised up Ray swatted him good and plenty on the head and the fellow fell and kept falling with Ray after him Ray kicked the man several times and picked up the pistol which had fallen and threw it in the wagon The man lay on the ground unconscious and after handing him a few more in the boots just to be sociable Ray climbed into his wagon and drove home He told his wife that he feared he had killed the would be robber and wanted to go back and see but woman like she wouldn't let him Next morning Ray drove back to where the fracas had taken place and found where the man had fallen There were no other wagon tracks than those which his team had made but there were plenty of foot tracks which made him think that someone had found the man and dragged him away

BOBY BURNS WINS FROM NATE JACKSON, AT DALLAS

Bobby Burns the featherweight boxer who is to appear in a bout here in the near future possibly on Thanksgiving Day defeated Nate Jackson of Oklahoma City at Dallas Friday night Concerning the bout the Dallas News says

Bobby Burns of Dallas clearly outfought and outpointed Nate Jackson of Oklahoma City in their fifteen round bout last night before the Kerkan Club When these boxers met here in September Burns got what many termed a homesteader's decision, but there is no doubt that in the opinion of nearly every man who saw the mill last night the local boy clearly showed his superiority

Burns was the aggressor nearly all the way and time after time he met Jackson's rushes flat footed and took Jackson's leads on his forearms or on the top of his head Many of Jackson's hardest swings went wild while Burns seldom failed to land when he started a hard blow Jackson took more punishment than any man has taken in recent bouts here, and were he not almost iron man he would perhaps have been knocked out

Early in the fight Burns depended almost entirely upon his left to land both to the face and body but in the latter rounds he began to use his right with telling effect and had Jackson worried with the solid blows he was landing

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENCY MAY GO TO DALLAS MAN

Special to The Times.

Austin Tex Nov 18—Prof J F Kimball superintendent of the public schools of Dallas may be the next president of the University of Texas It is understood that the place has been tendered him and that he is considering the offer It had been expected that someone from out of the state would be chosen to the position

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WANTED—To buy $10,000 worth of second hand furniture and stoves.—McConnell Bros. 79-tfc

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SANSBERY & ALLEN at 706 7th St., want to buy all kinds of second hand furniture. Phone 783. 2tfc

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture and stoves. We buy anything and sell everything. Wichita Furniture and Second Hand Store, 803 Indiana, Phone 538. 16-tfc

WANTED—Cast off men's clothing and shoes. Phone 434. 61-12tp

WANTED—Roomers and boarders at 906 Denver. Modern conveniences. Phone 1084. Rates reasonable. 69tfc

WANTED—Afflicted people to investigate Chiropractic at 1404 Scott Ave. Phone 753. 61-3tp

WANTED—Good wheat or oat pasture close to town for 5 horses and one cow and calf. Call telephone 444. 61-3tc

For Rent—Bedrooms

FOR RENT—Nice convenient bedrooms, 600 Scott. Phone 1094. 42-tfc

FOR RENT—A large room, downstairs to rent 909 Seventh street; man and wife preferred; would rent to couple of young man or ladies. Phone 929. 52 tfc

FOR RENT—Front bed room, 606 Travis, Phone 1325 53-tfc

FOR RENT—Modern bed room for gentleman, phone 134, 906 Austin 56 tfc

FOR RENT—Front bed room in private family, $2 50 per week, 904 Ind 56 6tc

FOR RENT—Bedroom adjoining bath, quiet locality, garage accommodations 907 Travis. 62 tfc

FOR RENT—One large furnished bed room, private entrance large closet, or two rooms for light housekeeping close in. Phone 1953 62 3tc

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Man to spread dirt over yard. Phone 1178 61 3tc

WANTED—Solicitor for city, man or lady Nice work Good pay Call at St. Elmo Hotel 61-3tp

Now Is the Time

Nice five room modern dwelling at 804 Van Buren, concrete walks all around house, east front. Only $250 cash down will buy this elegant home. Balance easy terms. Let us show you this bargain.

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For Rent—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms, rates cheap, 1305 11th or phone 1702. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, at 1010 Indiana Ave. 35-tfc

FOR RENT—Two modern unfurnished rooms. Phone 946. 34 tfc

FOR RENT—One light housekeeping apartment. 810 9th St. 41-tfc

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping, water, light and gas furnished, also 13-room house, 607 11th street. Phone 1432. 58-6tc

FOR RENT — Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. 609 Scott. 59-6tp

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms; also extra bed room. Barn accommodation 907 Travis. 60 tfc

FOR RENT—Single and light housekeeping rooms. References required 1200 Scott Ave 61 tfc

FOR RENT—Two well furnished light housekeeping rooms, modern. Phone 940, 512 Travis 62 tfc

FOR RENT—Three modern furnished light housekeeping rooms, 806 13th street. 62-tfc

For Sale or Trade

TO TRADE—Owner wants to trade automobile in good condition, 50 h p, seven passenger, for Ford. Phone 568. 50-tfc

FOR SALE or TRADE—A good five room house, water and gas 3½ acres land, close in Price $1100 See Fitts Phone 115 60-3tc

FOR SALE or TRADE—10½ acres of irrigated land one mile of city, very good improvements Address 200 in care of the Times. 60-6tp

Found

FOUND—A trunk, owner can have same by describing it and paying for this ad Phone 1843. 61 3tp

Financial

$800,000 00— To loan on farms and improved Wichita Falls property. Very easy terms and low rates of interest. F W. Tibbetts. 79-tfc.

FARM LOANS AT 8 PER CENT—I am the personal representative of Charles Baird, a Kansas City banker Want choice farm loans in Wichita, Clay and Wilbarger counties; $2,000 and upward, 8 per cent; smaller loans slightly higher rate. I pass on the security, Judge Hughes passes on the titles, Money paid when papers are signed. Come in and see me.
CHAS. O. ERWIN,
Office with Judge Hughes, over McClurkan's, Wichita Falls.

Dressmaking

WANTED—Sewing by the day or piece Children's a specialty Phone 1514 52 tfc

UP-TO DATE Remodeling suits and gowns of latest fashions, 1203 Scott. Phone 1864. 59-6tc

MRS SIMMONS — Dressmaker buttons covered, pleating. 1206 9th St. Phone 1893 60 26tc

Lost

LOST—Automobile tire, Ajax 36x4 Finder return to William Huff at First National bank for reward. 61 2tc

Livestock

FOR SALE—Span young work mules, 16 hands, reasonable. Address P. O box 744, city. 50-tfc

FOR SALE—Twelve young mules, coming twos, at my farm on Red River. J W. Murph, at Wichita Mill. 58-7tc

FOR SALE—Young jersey cow, 905 Broad 62-3tp

Fine Stock.

STOCKMEN—Have fine bred Guernsey bull for service. Those interested phone 860. 2-tfc

Wanted

In next few days applications for about $50,000 worth farm and ranch loans.

OTTO STEHLIK

Phone 692. Over old P. O. Bldg

You Should See This Elegant Home

New 5 room house, modern in every way It has Edge Grain flooring all hand finished, nice brick mantle with grate. The doors are large, very heavy one-panel Birch, with glass door knobs Inside double doors are French glass The papering is all just simply beautiful The light and bath fixtures are absolutely the finest and most up-to-date that can be found any where This beautiful little home is located on Tenth street and is paved. We will sell at a bargain The price is only $2500 if sold at once Let us show it to you today.

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IF OPPORTUNITY SHOULD KNOCK AT YOUR DOOR—

Would you sit idly by and not take advantage of it? Here is a fine opportunity for a man of small means to make money easily. Five acres of irirgated land close in over-looking city. Fair improvements consisting of four room frame house, fences, well, storm cellar, sheds, chicken houses, over one acre of bearing fruit trees. All in good state of cultivation—irrigates and drains nicely—impossible to overflow, on main irrigation ditch. Will sacrifice this property for $1200—half cash, balance to suit purchaser. This is your opportunity. Act quickly.

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For Sale—City Property

FOR SALE—4-room house, city water and gas, $700 or will take Ford roadster. J. S Bridwell 40tfc

FOR SALE—One large east front lot on Seventh street. Close in, one block from paved street. Price $1100. Phone owner, 285. 27-tfc

FOR SALE—Two lots, Highland Heights, corner. On hill Small payment, easy terms Will sacrifice Dudley Stephenson, Eagle Bar. 37-tfc

FOR SALE—New six room house, hot and cold water, nice light fixtures, good location, convenient to car line, easy terms. Phone 187 40-26tp

FOR SALE—Modern five room house with gas, water and electric lights Hardware and electric fixtures of very best material. Price $2500 Small cash payment down, terms to suit. A bargain. In 50 foot of pavement, off Tenth Street. Address "R" care Times 155-6tp.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Stock new and second hand goods Most complete stock in city good location, doing a good business Would consider a good Ford car in trade If interested address P O Box 40, Wichita Falls Tex 50tfc

FOR SALE—Buick automobile, in good shape Bargain, must be sold at once J E. Childers, 207 Kemp & Kell Bldg. Phone 777 49 tfc

FOR SALE—Extra fine rose plants, by Geo Sibert, 1306 Travis or phone 651 60 3tc

FOR SALE—Hore and buggy Phone 677 62 tfc

For Rent—Houses

FOR RENT—Several houses. See E B Gorsline. Phone 720 or residence 62. 122 tfc

FOR RENT—Cottage Phone 244 48 tfc

FOR RENT—Rooming house of twelve rooms, modern, 806 10th St. Inquire of D M Jones, with Alfalfa Lumber Co 59-tfc

FOR RENT—One four room house, corner 5th and Austin modern Also one 5 room house on 5th street, modern Phone 1585 59 tfc

FOR RENT—A nice large modern house six large rooms bath and sewer, sleeping porch, large front porch also large room up stairs, built for a home on Kemp Boulevard on car line Phone 906 59 tfc

Situations Wanted

WANTED—Position as salesman in a grocery or general merchandise, experienced Have team for delivery i wanted address 75 care Times 61 3tp

For Rent—Offices and Stores

FOR RENT—Nice office rooms, all modern, over Rexall Drug Store—enquire within 155 tfc

VETERAN REPUBLICAN SAYS ROOT TO BE NAMED

Special to The Times

Austin Texas Nov 18—According to General Webster Flanagan former internal revenue collector here, and one of the old guard of Texas republicans, Elihu Root will be nominated by the republicans to run against Wilson The general believes that Root can defeat Wilson

THERE ARE

Some citizens in Wichita Falls, who's dear old father and mother rest in unmarked, unremembered graves

Old Mother Earth is far kinder towards them than they. She endeavors each year to spread the soft green mantle of love above them, and in so far as possible hide human negligence from the eyes of friends who pass that way.

Peace be to their ashes, God has not forgotten even as the Sparrow falleth not unnoticed by him.

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UNITED STATES UNPREPARED FROM AERIAL STANDPOINT

The United States army has twenty aeroplanes The average life of an aeroplane under war conditions such as now prevail in Europe is seven hours

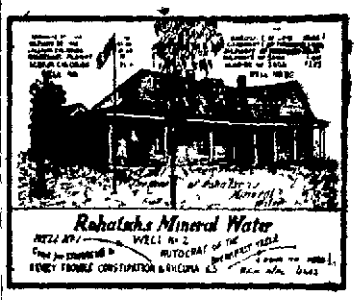
That is the preparedness of the aerial branch of Uncle Sams fighting forces according to S J Izorek the master signal electrician of the aero squadron Using one aeroplane at a time the United States has enough to last six days under war conditions If the presidents plans receive the indorsement of Congress however the aerial department will be materially increased Mr Izorek says

Not only are many machines put out of commission by gun fire he says but when operating in rough country where suitable landing places are scarce aeroplanes are frequently disabled in making landings which it appears is the most difficult part of flying

The European armies are getting very expert in shooting aircraft said Mr Izorek they have guns which can be elevated to an angle of 90 degrees and contrivances which enable them to get the altitude very quickly Machines are being winged with much more regularity now than in the early days of the war

Discussing the preparedness question as it relates to the army s aerial equipment Mr Izorek said that in many states flying corps had been organized by civilians as a part of the national guard The membership he said included men who were devotees of aviation and who would be available with their machines in time of war All the European nations he said owned aeroplanes by the thousand and were taking the full output of American flying machine factories the latter he said are working day and night on foreign contracts

The aeroplane has replaced cavalry for scouting purposes he said it is now used for reconnoitering and also to get the range on the enemy s position Conditions of warfare have changed immeasurably since the war with Spain



Especial attention given to five gallon orders. City phone 887. Rural phone 9001, ring 14.

House Moving and Raising
W. D. Hagerman
Phone 1848

LAW LICENSE IS OBTAINED BY STREET CAR MOTORMAN

Hubert O Glasscock for several years a motorman for the Wichita Falls Traction Company is preparing to hang out his shingle here for the practice of law Mr Glasscock studied law at his home in spare moments between long days of work as a motorman and last October successfully passed the bar examination, his showing comparing favorably with men who had had university training Mr Glasscock is a Wichita Falls boy and his perservance and pluck in the face of odds has won for him much admiration

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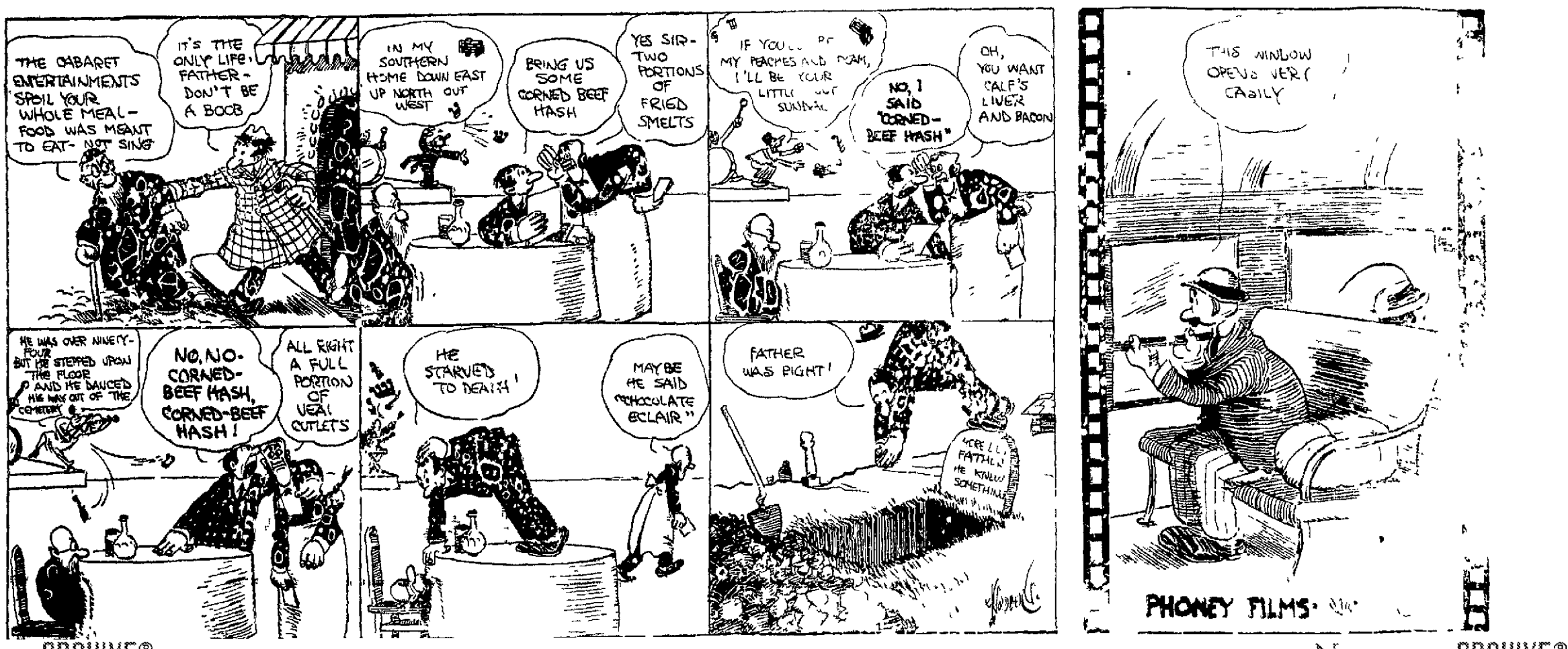

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The Ready-to-Wear Department

Is crowded to overflowing with the most fashionable 1915 garments for women and children. The prolonged warm weather has kept most people from buying heavy clothing and it's very lucky that it has because now comes an opportunity to buy at almost your own price.

We are positively going to quit business!

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NINE years ago I established in Wichita an institution like which at that time there was no other kind in the town. A Strictly Cash, One-Price Dry Goods Store. Beginning with a small stock and a small patronage, I have by combinding the above principles with extensive and honest advertising, and by making every effort to, at all times, give my customer "The Most of the Best Merchandise for the Smallest Amount of Money," built up a very successful and prosperous business. From one of the smallest stocks in North Texas has grown one of the largest stocks in North Texas. Now after these nine years of highly satisfactorily merchandising in Wichita Falls, I have decided to, as rapidly as possible close out my business. I have considered several ways of doing this and have finally come to the conclusion that the best way is to give my patrons who've stood by

WICHITA F

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Men's Shirts	*Calico Prints*	*Dress G*
Men's Fleeced Lined Shirts; good, heavy quality; all sizes;	Light and Dark Colors; hundreds of pieces of best quality Calicos	Good D hams; stan and Fal
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